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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed July 30, 2003, applicants
elect Group II, Claims 8-12 and 33, without traverse. Accordingly, please cancel claims
1-7 and 13-32, without prejudice.

Respectfully submitted,

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